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Sir:

This is not a reply on the merits to the Office Action dated May 27, 2003.

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

This Information Disclosure Statement is to submit documents cited in a European Search Report in a corresponding European application, which documents have not yet been made of record in the present case. A copy of the Search Report is also enclosed.

The concise explanation of relevance fo the non-English document may be found, inter alia, in its English language abstract and/or in the European Search Report.

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)

Each item of information in this information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing date of this Statement.


CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants believe that no fee is due in connection with this Information Disclosure Statement. However, if such a fee is necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 06-1205.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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